Civic Committee Meeting, May 8, 2018

Attending: Al Marks, Mick Fitzharris, Carol Larson, guest: Ed Rohrbach

Call to Order: 7:37 pm Minutes: accepted minutes from April.

Visitors report: Ed Rohrbach

Check dead wood in honey locust on Green. Monitor styrax: evidence of disease.

Multi trunk sassafras: remove dead leaders.

Sugar Maples: check for availability for North end of Green. 3 trees @ 1 ½ -2" diameter needed

Noticed Sargent cherries planted in Memorial Garden overflow on north side of Harvey. Need to find out who has planted them, should be removed. Talk to Memorial Garden staff Barbara Henry.

White Pine at Buzz: some decay, should stand 30-40 years, will not hit building

Grocery Path Repair: Original damage done by Davey tree service while attempting to remove a tree at King Leasehold. Placed 5' wide asphalt. Politis talking about recouping loss from Davey. Ron's Service removed the tree from Kings Driveway, when removing trees from Kalmus leasehold.

Theater Walkway: Cropper near finished: \$3200-3400. Curbing needs adjustment for drainage. Consider ADA ramp for edge.

Sherwood Green: Van Neerden, will aerate and seed May 9-11. Brocklesby is roping off area. Still considering betaTest area with Typar. Where seeded

Bus Shelter: Finished drawing by Harold Kalmus. Al Marks estimates cost of \$5000-6000/or more

Advantages: shelter for children, less need for parking on sweep. Discuss with Memorial Garden.

Funding sources? Cartier, DelDot, School district. Consider need for wheelchair ramp. Accessible from street?

Present drawing at June Town Meeting. If available

Town Bulletin Board: Bulletin board hung, waiting for keys for committee chairs.

Buzz Center Sign: *Dennis* O'Regan asked Civic to cover cost of plants (\$750) for landscaping. Civic declined. Sign and public bulleten board should be installed within the next 10 days.

OLD BUSSINESS Al Marks assisted Buzz Committee to find sewer cleanout past basketball court asphalt at rear of building. Smith paving staff labor crew found the clean out by hand digging it. Buzz committee call Rotor service which cleared System/ working at present.

Downed Hemlock on the sweep side of memorial garden: Ron's will remove and tip over the root plate \$1400 clear over growth nearby same location

Meeting adjourned? 8:30